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**From:** Johnson, Ivry [Johnson.Ivry@epa.gov]  
on behalf of R9FOIAOffice [R9FOIAOffice@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 3/30/2017 7:56:25 PM  
**To:** Armsey, Steven [Armsey.Steven@epa.gov]; Holwerda, Sharon [Holwerda.Sharon@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** FW: FOIA Assignment for EPA-R9-2017-005393  
**Attachments:** FOIA Checklist 2015.doc; Assurance of Payment Template.docx; EPA-R9-2017-005393.pdf

Requestor is in the "Media" Category, Not Billable

Background information from HQ:

**Subject:** Multiple requests from Allan Blutstein -- America Rising

A number of you have received (or may receive) a FOIA request from Allan L. Blutstein (America Rising) requesting all emails sent to or from a specific employee in your office that mention Scott Pruitt, Donald Trump, or other public officials. It appears that these requests are for emails of staff who may be union officials.

You should handle these requests as you normally would, keeping in mind advice from GLO/ILPG that union-to-union records are not subject to FOIA. If it is from union to Agency or Agency to union, then it is subject to FOIA.

Please let me know if questions.

Thanks,  
Becky

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**From:** foia@regulations.gov [mailto:foia@regulations.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, March 30, 2017 12:50 PM  
**To:** R9FOIAOffice <R9FOIAOffice@epa.gov>  
**Subject:** FOIA Assignment for EPA-R9-2017-005393

You have been assigned to the FOIA request EPA-R9-2017-005393. Additional details for this request are as follows:

- Assigned By: R9FOIAOffice FOIA Office
- Request Tracking Number: EPA-R9-2017-005393
- Due Date: 04/27/2017
- Requester: Allan L. Blutstein
- Request Track: Simple
- Short Description: Any email sent or received by attorney Thelma Estrada on February 16, 2017 or February 17, 2017 that mentions Scott Pruitt, excluding news articles
- Long Description: Any email sent or received by attorney Thelma Estrada on February 16, 2017 or February 17, 2017 that mentions Scott Pruitt, excluding news articles.